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TAGS: EFIN, AG

SUBJECT: EXIMBANK CREDIT NO. 6546 - ALRAR GAS CYCLING  
PROJECT

FOLLOWING TELEX SENT BY NORRIS, EXIMBANK TO BOUDJAKDJI,  
SONATRACH FINANCE. QUOTE:

PLEASED TO ADVISE YOU OF FORMAL APPROVAL OF CREDIT FOR  
DOLS. 165 MILLION FOR ALRAR GAS CYCLING PROJECT, WITH  
U.S. COSTS OF DOLS. 220 MILLION, ON PATTERN OF 15 PERCENT  
CASH PAYMENT, 75 PERCENT EXIMBANK LOAN AT 8.5 PERCENT  
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INTEREST, AND 10 PERCENT PRIVATE LOAN WITHOUT EXIM  
GUARANTEE. REPAYMENT IN 20 SEMIANNUALS BEGINNING 1  
JANUARY 1983, PRIVATE LOAN FIRST, EXIM LAST. REPAYMENT  
GUARANTEE OF BAD FOR DEMOCRATIC AND POPULAR REPUBLIC OF  
ALGERIA. COMMITMENT LETTER CONTAINING DETAILED TERMS  
AND CONDITIONS WILL FOLLOW. UNQUOTE. VANCE

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